

ELECTION WITH TRAVERSE:

The Restriction Requirement alleges a restriction to one of the following inventions is required under 35 U.S.C. § 121:

- I. Claims 1-10 and 31-32, drawn to a computer system for displaying information, classified in class 709, subclass 201.
- II. Claims 11-30, drawn to a method for displaying strikes between bids and asks in a market over time, classified in class 705, subclass 37.

The Applicant elects, with traverse, to pursue Group II. Group II is directed to a method and software for displaying strikes between bids and asks in a market over time. The Applicant respectfully submits that the foregoing election is not acquiescence in the propriety of the restriction or in the accuracy in the determination and/or identification of the alleged “unrelated inventions” in the subject Application. The Applicant respectfully requests withdrawal of the Restriction Requirement as set forth below, as the Requirement is improper.

The Applicant elects, with traverse to pursue Claims 11-30 (which are directed to a single species). The Applicant reiterates that the foregoing election is not an acquiescence in the propriety of the restriction or in the accuracy in the determination and/or identification of an alleged “species” in the subject Application. The Applicant respectfully requests withdrawal of the Restriction Requirement as set forth below, as the Requirement is improper.